

State of Vermont
Agency of Natural Resources
Department of Environmental Conservation
Notice of Determination of Eligibility for Categorical Exclusion

Georgia Industrial Development Corporation Water System, WSID #8345
Georgia, VT
Water System Improvements
DWSRF Loan RF3-331

In accordance with Section VII of the Department's Environmental Review Procedures for projects funded through the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) Program, the Georgia Industrial Development Corporation Water System, located in the Town of Georgia, VT has requested its proposed water improvement project be evaluated for eligibility for a categorical exclusion exempting the project from detailed environmental procedures required for projects having a significant environmental impact.

The project consists of the replacement of existing filters, pumps, controls and building systems, relining of two existing raw water lagoons and cleaning of an existing backwash lagoon. All work will take place interior to the existing, non-historic water treatment plant or on the plant site at the location of existing infrastructure.

Our consideration of the Georgia Industrial Development Corporation's request included reviewing environmental information and documentation completed and submitted by their engineering consultant, Otter Creek Engineering. At the completion of this independent evaluation, the Department has determined the project meets the criteria for receiving a Categorical Exclusion. The project will correct water system deficiencies and does not meet any of the criteria resulting in denial of an exclusion.

Further information on the project and this determination are available for inspection by contacting the DWSRF Program at (802) 585-4904. In addition to the applicant, a copy of this determination will be sent to a list of stakeholders and posted on the Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division's [Environmental Review Determination Notice](#) page.

Agency of Natural Resources
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David Mears, Commissioner

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Eric Blatt, P.E., Director
Facilities Engineering Division

Dated in Montpelier, Vermont this 20th day of July, 2015